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Dear Sir:

Please find the following correspondence items submitted by hand delivery to the United States Patent and Trademark Office Customer Window at 2011 South Clark Place, Arlington, Virginia, for filing on the date shown below:

- 1. Response to Notice of Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application (1 page);
- 2. Notice of Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application (2 pages);
- 3. Executed Declaration & Power of Attorney (3 pages);
- 4. Fee Transmittal (1 page); and
- 5. Check No. 1325 in the amount of \$65.00.

Respectfully submitted,

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application, mailed June 14 2004, a copy of which is submitted herewith, Applicant submits herewith an executed declaration for utility patent application in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.63 as well as an executed power of attorney and correspondence indication form. Applicant also submits herewith the requisite surcharge of \$65.00 set forth in 37 CFR § 1.16(e). As the Notice sets forth a two-month period for response, response is due on or before **August 14, 2004**. Accordingly, Applicant submits that this response is timely and no additional fee is required. However, in the event that additional fees are required to maintain the pendency of this application, the Commissioner is authorized to charge such fees to our Deposit Account No. 50-2101.

| Date: 08-09-04 | Respectfully submitted, | | |
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.

 A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$65 for a Small Entity

• \$65 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$) 65.00

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| First Named Inventor | Osama KANDIL | | | | |
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| Name The Director is authorized to: (check all tha | t annivi) | 1053 | 130 | 1053 | 130 | Non-English specification | | |
| I— · — | redit any overpayments | 1812 | 2,520 | 1812 | 2,520 | For filing a request for ex parte reexamination | | |
| Charge any additional fee(s) or any under | . , , | 1804 | 920* | 1804 | 920* | Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action | <u> </u> | |
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| |) N | 1251 | 110 | 2251 | 55 | Extension for reply within first month | | |
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| 1. BASIC FILING FEE Large Entity Small Entity | | 1253 | 950 | 2253 | 475 | Extension for reply within third month | | |
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| 1001 770 2001 385 Utility filing fe | e | 1255 | 2,010 | 2255 | 1,005 | Extension for reply within fifth month | | |
| 1002 340 2002 170 Design filing | | 1401 | 330 | 2401 | 165 | Notice of Appeal | | |
| 1003 530 2003 265 Plant filing fe | e - | 1402 | 330 | 2402 | 165 | Filing a brief in support of an appeal | | |
| 1004 770 2004 385 Reissue filing | fee | 1403 | 290 | 2403 | 145 | Request for oral hearing | | |
| 1005 160 2005 80 Provisional fi | ing fee | 1451 | 1,510 | 1451 | 1,510 | Petition to institute a public use proceeding | | |
| SUBTOTAL (1 |) (\$) N/A | 1452 | 110 | 2452 | 55 | Petition to revive - unavoidable | | |
| 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTIL | | 1453 | 1,330 | 2453 | 665 | Petition to revive - unintentional | | |
| | Fee from | | 1,330 | 2501 | | Utility issue fee (or reissue) | | |
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| Claims — —————————————————————————————————— | | 1460 | 130 | 1460 | | Petitions to the Commissioner | | |
| Large Entity Small Entity | | 1807 | 50 | 1807 | | Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q) | | |
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| | claims in excess of 3 | 1809 | 770 | 2809 | 385 | Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a)) | | |
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| | ndependent claims | | | | | examined (37 CFR 1.129(b)) | | |
| over origin | , | 1801 | 770 | 2801 | | Request for Continued Examination (RCE) | | |
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(Complete (if applicable)) SUBMITTED BY Registration No. Name (Print/Type) Chalin A. Smith 41,569 Telephone 703-549-7691 ale 08-09-04 Signature Date

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